

Norman Baker's Column

IT won't be long now until the County Medics will secure their contract for caring for the country sick. Another few thousand shot to pieces. Wonder how long the people will stand for this kind of BUNK? It may not look so bad now, but wait until the yearly price is paid, then the good old days of the County physician will be recalled.

New Yorkers now have a FLU scare. It won't be long now until every newspaper will be carrying headline screamers, saying "Watch out, if you sneeze, you may have the flu!" Funny, isn't it, that we didn't have these scares years ago. It would be nice to come back to this old earth in 100 years and see what the scare would then be. Use your head, let no one scare you. If you sneeze, it's not the flu, it's the beginning of a cold, and until Doc can give us a remedy that will cure an ordinary cold, why add humiliation in expecting a cure for flu? Eat a little less, don't miss the good vegetables and fruits, exercise and get plenty of sunshine and fresh air—then no doubt the flu will not worry you. Have you ever noticed that very few farmers ever get the flu but they do get the exercise, fruit, vegetables and sun-shine.

There has been a lot of chatter about the Senate's twenty-five million for the Red Cross. Certainly there is a lot of suffering in America and not only should we have money to relieve it, but it should come quickly and DISTRIBUTED QUICKER. Why not, instead of giving so much to the Red Cross, who already have eighteen million in their estate treasury, and grabbing for ten million more, let the Welfare associations distribute some of this and avoid the expense of "red tape."

The hand of fate works strangely. A school bus driver was killed when his bus was hit by a train. One life is gone, but think of what may have happened if the bus had been loaded with kiddies. Tomorrow it will all be forgotten, but it will happen again, simply because many of us do not profit by the mistakes of others.

Tony Marko lives in Chicago. They took him to the psychopathic hospital thinking him "noodles" because he started singing the first time in years. Maybe he was, but Tony deserves much credit for saving. They found \$9,436.13 on his person, in bottles, tin cans and such things. \$9,436.13 is enough to make anyone sing these days. Many people today would sing if they had the 13 cents.

Al Capone is enjoying himself now-a-days down in Florida, but he complains that everybody is picking on him. Here's a little song, Al: I know what I'll do, bye and bye, I'll drink some hooch, and then I'll die.

Then you folks will plainly see, And you'll all be sorry you picked on me.

About all we have read in the Chicago papers recently has been about some sergeant or policeman becoming the "collector" for a gang. Do the editors wish to in-

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The WEATHER man says

IOWA — Partly cloudy and somewhat colder in east and central portions tonight; Wednesday generally fair; somewhat colder in east central portion.

ILLINOIS — Cloudy; colder in north and central; snow flurries in extreme north portion Tuesday; Wednesday fair; slightly warmer north portion.

INDIANA — Cloudy; colder in north and central; snow flurries in extreme north portion Tuesday; Wednesday fair.

WISCONSIN — Fair and colder Tuesday; Wednesday generally fair and slightly warmer.

MISSOURI — Fair tonight and Wednesday. No important change in temperature.

GENERAL OUTLOOK — The predictions are for mostly fair weather over the north-central states in the region of the great lakes. The temperature will be considerably lower over the region of the great lakes and adjacent areas.

Wickersham Board Split

STATE APPEAL AGAINST BAKER UP TOMORROW

Local Attorneys Will Demand That Ely's Ruling Stands

Attorneys C. P. Hanley and J. F. Devitt left this afternoon at 2 o'clock for Des Moines where they will present oral arguments in the matter of the appeal by the state of the injunction proceedings against Norman Baker. The arguments will be heard in the chambers of the supreme court at the state capital, Wednesday.

An appeal was taken by the state from the decision of Judge Ely in which the judge refused to grant an injunction, found that there was no evidence to sustain the state's contention that Mr. Baker had been engaged in the practice of medicine during the period covered by the pleadings in the case, March 14, 1930, and therefore.

Arguments on a motion to strike, filed recently by Mr. Baker's attorneys in federal court, Davenport, in his pending suit for \$50,000 against the American Medical Association, have been postponed until Feb. 14, according to word received by Attorney C. P. Hanley today. The arguments will be heard by Federal Judge Charles A. Dowey.

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Burns \$20,000



(Acme-P. & A. Photo)

Because he feared apprehension, Frank Burns (above) of Saxon, Wis., burned \$20,000 in currency. The youth had taken the money in a recent mail robbery.

TUBERCULOSIS LAW UPHELD

Iowa Supreme Court Reverses District Decision

DES MOINES, Jan. 20.—(INS)—The Iowa supreme court today reversed a decision in favor of the Iowa department of agriculture in a case which had tested the power of the department to enforce the bovine tuberculosis statute.

The case was an appeal from the O'Brien county district court where a decision had been made in favor of John Painter and John Peters, intervenor, who had attacked the legal right of the state to enforce the law.

The supreme court reversed the ruling of the lower tribunal which had overruled a motion of the state to dismiss the plaintiff's charges and from the plaintiff.

The prince boarded the liner Croesus hours late. They arrived in cars spattered with mud. After a brief speech in Spanish to welcoming local officials, who with British representatives and a large crowd had waited the better part of the afternoon despite a pouring rain, the royal travelers boarded the ship.

At 10 p. m. the Croesus left the harbor, the cheers of the crowd in her wake. Her first stop, after reaching open ocean, will be at Hamilton, Bermuda.

Royal Salesman On Ship En Route To South America

SANTANDER, Spain, Jan. 19.—(INS)—The Prince of Wales and his brother, Prince George, were on their way to south America today in the interest of British trade after a journey by car across northern Spain that brought them unscathed through train wrecks, landslides and accidents.

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Iowa U. Medical Fund Probe Will Start Next Week

IOWA CITY, Ia., Jan. 20.—(INS)—The special investigation into the interest accounts of the University of Iowa agent the medical building fund supplied by the Rockefeller foundation will not be begun until Tuesday, E. F. Terrell, state accountant, stated today.

The investigation was ordered following the questioning of the state board of education's waving payment of approximately \$28,000 in interest by Treasurer W. J. McChesney. A daily cash balance of approximately \$20,000 had been held for five years in the First National Bank here, of which McChesney is president, but the bank contends that it was never accepted as an interest bearing account but as a part of more than \$2,000,000 to be invested.

Two Dead in Farm Shooting Affray

BARNES CITY, Ia., Jan. 20.—(INS)—An investigation is being conducted today into the fatal shooting yesterday of Benjamin Brewer, 28, and Virgil Lambirth, 45, and the probable fatal wounding of Mrs. Lambirth, 36, at the Lambirth farm home two miles north of here. The woman is at her home in a critical condition.

The scene as reconstructed by authorities included the shooting of the Lambirth's by Brewer and his own suicide. The act was first discovered when a rural mail carrier noticed Lambirth lying in the doorway of his home.

An 11-year old son of the Lambirth's was in school when the shooting occurred.

Slaps Son-in-law, Fined One Dollar

Jesse DeLap, section foreman for the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway, paid a fine of one dollar and costs for assault and battery when arraigned before Justice J. C. Custer today. DeLap pleaded guilty to slapping his son-in-law, John Matheson.

Bureau Program at Montpelier Tonight

The regular monthly meeting of the Montpelier section of the Muscatine County Farm Bureau will be held tonight at the Hazel Dell school house. A local program will be given with motion pictures dealing with industrial science shown.

Fabritz Is Selected Member of House

DES MOINES, Jan. 20.—(INS)—By a vote of 102 to 0 in the house this afternoon Ernest H. Fabritz of Ottumwa was declared elected a member of the house from Wapello county in the Hall-Fabritz election contest.

AGED RESIDENT IS DRIVEN OUT TO DIE ALONE

Victim of Miss Weeks' Brand of Charity In Greenwood

(EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the seventh of a series of articles exposing the incompetent administration of the affairs of the Muscatine Welfare Association by the secretary, Miss Grace L. Weeks. Numerous complaints have been made to the Midwest Free Press of the intolerable lack of efficiency in the secretary's office, where, it is claimed, the poor and the needy have their requests for aid turned down on the most insignificant pretext.)

Sent from her home town to die among strangers simply because she became friendless and dependent upon charity—this is the latest story of the administration of charity by Miss Grace Weeks, secretary of the Welfare Association and county supervisor of the poor. The victim was an aged crippled lady who lived in Muscatine more than half a century.

A grave in Greenwood cemetery beside other members of her family who had gone before, marks the close of the struggle against age and poverty, by the woman who for years had suffered physical infirmities which forced her to use crutches.

Sent Out of Town

As the story was told to the Free Press, the woman known to many men and women in Muscatine, went to St. Paul to visit a son. The son died and the old lady returned to her home town, Muscatine, where she resided for more than 50 years. There was no home left for her in Muscatine, no alternative save the county home where she had denied the right to finish her life in the only place in the world she could call home.

Day by day these stories come in.

As the number of complaints increase the welfare worker asks for another assistant to aid her investigation. Another worker to be paid out of the pockets of the more fortunate and to be paid from public funds, to rid the city of the poor, to deny aid to those who have toiled and spent their all in Muscatine and to bully and persecute the rich and the unfortunate.

The board of supervisors has granted Miss Weeks' plea for an assistant and the chairman of the Welfare Association, A. J. Magnus, defends her and compliments her upon her efficient administration.

Washington — Representative

Des Moines — Representative

DRY REPEAL IS OPPOSED, YET CHANGE URGED

Not Much Observance Of Law, Is Finding Of Commission

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that the present organization for enforcement is still inadequate.

Unenforceable, Say Some

The commission is of opinion that the federal appropriations for enforcement of the eighteenth amendment should be substantially increased and that the vigorous and better organized efforts which have gone on since the bureau of prohibition act, 1927, should be furthered by certain improvements in the statutes and in the organization, personnel, and equipment of enforcement, so as to give to enforcement the greatest practicable efficiency.

Some of the commission are not convinced that prohibition under the eighteenth amendment is unenforceable and believe that a further trial should be made with the help of the recommended improvements and that if after such trial effective enforcement is not secured there should be a revision of the amendment. Others of the commission are convinced that it has been demonstrated that prohibition under the eighteenth amendment is unenforceable and that the amendment should be immediately revised, but recognizing that the process of amendment will require some time, they unite in the recommendation of conclusion No. 9 for the improvement of the enforcement agencies.

Remove Media's Prejudice

All the commission agree that if the amendment is revised it should be made to read substantially as follows:

Section 1. The congress shall have power to regulate or to prohibit the manufacture, traffic in or transportation of intoxicating liquors within, or the importation thereof from the United States and all territory subject to the jurisdiction of the medical profession by:

(A) Doing away with the statutory fixing of the amount which may be prescribed and the number of prescriptions;

(B) Abolition of the requirement of specifying the amount for which liquor is prescribed upon a blank to go into the public files;

(C) Leaving as much as possible to regulations rather than fixing details by statute.

More Agents Advised

2. Removal of the anomalous provision in section 29, which prohibits access to and the sale and fruit juices by making some uniform provision for a fixed alcohol content for beer and wine.

3. Increase of the number of agents, storekeeper-gaunders, prohibition investigators, and special agents; increase in the personnel of the customs bureau and in the equipment of all enforcement organizations.

4. Enactment of a statute authorizing the commission permission to the premises and records of wholesale and retail dealers so as to make it possible to trace products of specially denatured alcohol to the ultimate consumer.

5. Enactment of legislation to prohibit independent denaturing plants.

6. The commission is opposed to legislation allowing more latitude for federal searches and seizures.

Would Codify Act

7. The commission renews its recommendation of legislation for making procedure in the so-called padlock injunction cases more effective.

9. The commission recommends legislation providing a mode of prosecuting petty offenses in the federal courts and modifying the increased penalties act of 1929, as set forth in the chairman's letter to the attorney general dated May 23, 1930, H. R. Rep. 1699.

Members Differ

There are differences of view among the members of the commission as to certain of the conclusions stated and as to some matters included in or omitted from the report. The report is signed subject to individual reservation of the right to express these individual views in separate or supplemental reports to be annexed thereto.

John W. Wickersham, chairman; Henry W. Anderson; Newton D. Baker; Ada L. Comstock; William I. Grubbl; William E. Kenyon; Frank J. Loesch; Paul J. McCormick; Kenneth Mackintosh; and Roscoe Pound. Washington, D. C., Jan. 7, 1931.

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William Voegeli Is
Selected as Local
Standard Oil Head

William Voegeli has been named to succeed E. W. Fritts as Muscatine manager of the Standard Oil company. The new agent, who has been employed by the concern for a number of years, comes here from Belle Plaine, Ia. He will be given his new duties Wednesday morning.

Mr. Fritts was local manager of the oil company for the past three years. He recently resigned to accept a position with the Tidewater Oil company. His territory will be the eastern half of Iowa and he will continue to make his home in Muscatine. Mr. Fritts now lives at 511 1/2 Ninth street.

The territory over which Mr. Voegeli will have supervision includes only the city of Muscatine. He is in charge of all trucks, service stations and other enterprises of the Standard Oil company here.

ound Corner

E. T. Baird of Ames conducted the class in vocational training at the high school Monday afternoon. Seventeen were present at the session.

About 15 men, foremen in the various factories of Muscatine, attended the second division of the class held Monday night at the Y. M. C. A. The class meets each Monday night and is under the direction of Prof. E. S. Baird of Ames.

The Social Workers class of the Y. M. C. A. held a meeting in the association building Monday afternoon. This class, which is composed of high school faculty members and social workers, meets each Monday at the Y. M. C. A.

The condition of Henry Wagner, who is ill at the home of his sister, Mrs. Cynthia Lee, 208 East Fifth street, shows little change, it is reported today.

Henry Wickey, 514 Cedar street, who is ill at his home, is still in a critical condition today.

No successor has been appointed today in place of Ernest E. Peters, who tendered his resignation yesterday as deputy clerk in the office of County Auditor Kenneth Coder.

J. T. Sissel has obtained a permit from the city engineer's office to remodel a brick store building on Mulberry avenue between Third and Fourth streets. Cost of the improvement is estimated at \$3,980.

Only two classes banked 100 per cent at the high school in the weeks deposits. This was due to the new semester just beginning Monday and all the classes were not prepared to bank. The two classes are taught by Miss Kemble and Mr. Cresson. Total deposits amounted to \$110.67.

Mrs. Myrtle Cassidy was removed from the Bellevue hospital this morning to her home, 613 West Sixth street by an ambulance from the Fairbanks Home for Funerals. Mrs. Cassidy incurred a broken leg some time ago.

H. Koon returned to his home at Yuma, Colorado after a month's visit at the home of his sister, Mrs. George Kinkaid, 500 East Seventh street.

John Schultz, Bennett, Ia.; Hugh Turner, Kansas City, Mo.; and Mr. and Mrs. Alexander of Kansas City, Mo. were visitors at the Free Press offices yesterday.

The Rev. C. O. Winters, pastor of the United Brethren church of Letts, Ia., will be the speaker at the Open Door Mission, 117 West Front street, tonight.

Captain Warren Allen addressed the reserve officers last night at a meeting at the city hall. He gave instructions in artillery firing. Meetings are held on Monday night of each week.

Night Patrolman John Strain who has been off duty for the past two nights due to illness of his wife was expected to be back on the beat tonight, it was reported at police headquarters today.

Hos receipts in Muscatine today totalled 746 head. There were six carloads, four from W. H. Stoneberger, Lone Tree, Ia., one carload from Thomas O'Flaherty, Wellman, Ia., and one carload from John Deere, Lone Tree.

A meeting of women of the Coronado school district division of the Farm Bureau was held this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Harry Kemp of Fruitland. "The Diet for the Pre-School Child" was the topic for discussion.

Members of the board of supervisors left this morning to join with the Louisella board in the postponed tour of drainage district No. 13, where a general survey will be made of the slough that runs through the district.

State Automobile
Inspector Here to
License Chauffeurs

Ray L. Crabb, state automobile inspector, arrived here yesterday to issue chauffeur's licenses at the office of County Treasurer R. A. Van Dusen. Mr. Crabb stated he would remain at the treasurer's office to day and Wednesday to assist the chauffeurs in obtaining their permits.

Pays \$13.95 for
Hitting Cashier
Of Atalissa Bank

Striking a bank cashier cost Edward Garvin of Atalissa \$13.95 when he was found guilty in Justice J. C. Coster's court late Monday. D. W. Arnold, banker of Atalissa, filed the complaint.

According to the testimony Garvin struck Arnold on the mouth in argument over a check last week. The warrant was sworn out Saturday night and Garvin was brought to court Monday. Costs exceeded the fine which was but \$4.

Fifty Elks Expect
To Visit Davenport

Approximately 50 members of the Muscatine lodge of Elks will go to Davenport on Feb. 12, when the grand exalted ruler will visit that lodge, it was decided at last night's meeting. A bus will be chartered for the local delegation.

A membership drive, to end in April, has been started. Louis Boe is captain on one team and E. D. Richards is head on the other. It is expected a big class will be initiated at the close of the drive.

COUNTY BUILT 13.42 MILES OF ROAD IN YEAR

Sum of \$155,457 Was
Expended on Work
During Year

Close of the year 1931 saw the completion of 13.42 miles of roads in Muscatine county, of which 1.42 miles were new and 12 miles were built to permanent grade and 12 miles of local county roads were surfaced, according to the report of County Engineer F. P. G. Halffass. Expenditures were \$25,342.32 and on local county roads \$3,961.83.

The county's entire secondary road system on Jan. 1, 1931, included 637.65 miles of roads, of which 10.42 miles were a part of the county trunk system and 558.11 are local county roads. There are still 17.49 miles of county trunk and 486 miles of earth road to be built, with 12 miles of earth road in the local county system now built to a permanent grade but not surfaced. Sixty miles of the local county roads have already been graded, 60.05 miles of county trunk roads permanently graded and surfaced, and 11 miles already paved.

Road Maintenance

The engineer's financial report on the construction and road maintenance fund shows that 35 per cent of the construction fund is for use on local county roads, and 65 per cent of the construction fund is for use on county trunk roads. The maintenance fund is for maintenance of all roads according to their needs during the year.

Funds expended for construction work this year were received from the following sources:

Left—The five old funds used to estimate the old road law, \$63,673.91; Received from gasoline tax, \$38,022.69; Refund from state for former construction work on primary roads, \$15,034.25; Miscellaneous receipts, \$155,457.33.

Expenditures are as follows: for construction work, \$155,457.33; for maintenance, \$25,342.32; for Bond interest, \$3,961.83; Transferred to maintenance fund, \$10,110.67; Balance on hand January 1st, 1931, \$55,162.10; Total disbursements, \$155,457.33.

Sources of Funds

The source of funds in the maintenance fund this year was as follows: Tax levy, \$88,729.83; Motor passenger and freight carrier tax, \$24,591.80; Transfers from secondary road maintenance fund, \$10,110.67; Cash turned in by the township clerks when no one else can do the work, \$12,000.00; Miscellaneous receipts, \$77.09; Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1931, \$24,831.67; Total disbursements, \$118,735.95.

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The county's total indebtedness is to road and bridge work on Jan. 1, 1931, which indebtedness was authorized for the secondary road system for an amount not to exceed \$300,000.00 in June, 1926, was \$215,000. Of these bonds, \$14,000 become due and will be retired this year.

Inventory Value \$49,209.80

Compilation of the inventory value on all equipment shows that the county uses in the maintenance and construction on the 638 miles of secondary roads, amounting to \$49,209.80 on Jan. 1, 1931. This figure includes the value on all township equipment taken over from the fourteen townships.

It also includes the inventory value of all equipment that the county purchased during the year in operation of the maintenance and construction on all roads.

The total cost of maintaining the secondary road system in 1929, when all work on the local county roads was under the jurisdiction of the township trustees, and the county trunk roads under the supervision of the supervisors Monday afternoon.

During the first quarter of 1931, the Wittich Funeral Home will be employed in all county cases. The Fairbanks Home for Funerals will handle the work during the second quarter, the Hoffman Funeral Home during the third quarter, and the Meyers Home in the fourth quarterly period.

Kenneth Huber to
Head J. C. Y. Club

Kenneth Huber was elected president of the Junior College "Y" club at a meeting held in the association building this morning. Other officers are, vice president, Edward Walters; secretary, Merle Fischer; treasurer, Harold Smith.

One machine installed in a German laboratory for testing metals can exert a pull of more than 6,000,000 pounds and another a crushing force of 1,250,000 pounds.

The cost in 1930 of maintenance work on the local county roads, including the cost of the county engineering department was \$69,339.09. The total cost last year of maintenance work on county trunk roads, including the county engineering department was \$23,361.47.

In both the years 1929 and 1930, these figures include all labor on repairing roads and bridges, all materials for bridge repairs, all bridge and road maintenance equipment, all tools and repairs to equipment, while the cost of this work in 1930, included the cost of the engineering department.

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Society Chatter, Features and Helpful Hints for the Women

Pioneer Couple Celebrate 60th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Schaefer, a prominent couple of Tama county, recently celebrated their sixtieth wedding anniversary.

Children of the couple are Mrs. Otto Breuer of Sheridan; Edwax Schaefer of Columbia township; Walter Schaefer of Canova, S. D.; and Miss Caroline Schaefer at home. Others who visited the couple on this occasion were Conrad Schaefer of Plankinton, S. D.; John Schaefer of Spirit Lake, Ia.; Mrs. Elizabeth Anderson of Grinnell, Ia.; and Mrs. Mary Fisher of Muscatine.

Mr. and Mrs. Schaefer were honored at a similar affair in 1920 when they celebrated their golden wedding anniversary.

Card Party Held At Macabbee Hall

The women's Benefit association entertained at a card party Monday afternoon in Macabbee hall. Bridge was played at eight tables and prizes for the game were won by Mrs. E. W. Fletcher and Mrs. Roy Holtz; there were twelve tables of five hundred with high scores awarded to Mrs. G. Neibling and Mrs. Will Evernauer. Mrs. Lilian Heed won the door prize.

Reading Course of Immigrants' Books At Public Library

"Americans from Abroad" is the subject of a reading course which is announced by the P. M. Musser public library. It was prepared by John Palmer Gavit. Ten foreign men and women, whose lives have influenced America are described.

Each of the ten represents a different nationality and a different kind of contribution to American life. Among those included in the list are, Walter Damrosch, Mary Antin, Constantine Panayi, Michael Pupin, and Anna Howard Shaw.

In his introduction, the author, gives the reader a picture of the immigrant who reaches this country, a stranger to everything. He then presents one by one the ten immigrants he has chosen for this course and recommends for reading the stories of their lives found in their autobiographies as follows:

Antin, Mary—(Russian-Jewess)
"The Promised Land."
Damrosch, Walter—(German)
"My Musical Life."
Panayi, Constantine—(Italian)
"The Soul of an Immigrant."
Pupin, Michael—(Cuban)
"From Immigrant to Inventor."
Shaw, Anna Howard—(English)
"The Story of a Pioneer."

Supervisors Named On Welfare Board

Supervisors A. J. Altekruse, George Sauer and W. J. Barclay were appointed Monday afternoon by the county board as members who will represent the county on the board of directors of the Muscatine Welfare association.

Bridge-Auction and Contract

By the Authority
MILTON C. WORK

A CASE IN WHICH EITHER PARTNER CAN MAKE THREE NO TRUMPS

♦-6	♦-0-2	♦-J-0-8-7	♦-K-10-9-4
♦-9-7-2	♦-NORTH	♦-WV-J-10-7	♦-SOUTH
♦-9-8-4	♦-EAST	♦-5	♦-A-7
♦-6-3	♦-WEST	♦-2	(3)
♦-6-3-2			
♦-A-10-5			
♦-6-5			
♦-A-X-5-4			
♦-0-J-8-5			

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With the above hand at Auction the bidding would be: South one No. Trump, over which North should bid two No Trumps (a pre-empting bid); that probably would hold the contract. East hardly would dare bid three Hearts when sandwiched between two hands, each strong enough to bid No Trump.

At Contract the bidding could be: either South one No Trump, West pass, North three No Trumps; or perhaps more soundly and conservatively: South one Diamond, West pass, North two No Trumps, East pass, North three No Trumps.

With South playing no Trump and West opening with the Deuce of Spades, East could not play the Queen and the small because South has the Ace-Ten and one small; with that distribution two Spade tricks are assured if North plays small on the first lead. With the Spade Six played on the first trick, Declarer will win two Spades, one Heart, three Diamonds and three Clubs regardless of what the adversaries do.

With North the No Trump Declarer, fulfilling the contract would be much easier because East would lead a Heart up to North's Ace-Queen. Declarer's first effort would be to establish the Clubs and that would put East in the lead. Of course he would be in no position to establish his Hearts, but North could block the suit by holding up his Ace until the third round, in which event East would not be able to get in to make his remaining Hearts. The winning of one Diamond by West would not matter. Consequently Declarer would win three Clubs, three Diamonds, two Hearts and one Spade. (Copyright, 1931)

Replaces Temperamental Clara



(Acme-P. & A. Photo)

Silvia Sydney, New York actress (above), has been selected to replace temperamental Clara Bow in "City Streets," to be released to the theaters this week. The leading feminine role was given to Miss Sydney because Miss Bow had cracked under the strain of her demands.

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Damrosch, Walter—(German)
"My Musical Life."
Panayi, Constantine—(Italian)
"The Soul of an Immigrant."
Pupin, Michael—(Cuban)
"From Immigrant to Inventor."
Shaw, Anna Howard—(English)
"The Story of a Pioneer."

Supervisors Named On Welfare Board

Supervisors A. J. Altekruse, George Sauer and W. J. Barclay were appointed Monday afternoon by the county board as members who will represent the county on the board of directors of the Muscatine Welfare association.

Y. W. C. A. Clubs Have Parties

Members of the Dulio club of the Y. W. C. A. enjoyed a pot luck supper and golf party last evening.

Tonight the Fidels club will enjoy a golf party with refreshments afterward.

U. B. Ladies' Aid Have Supper

The Ladies' Aid society of the United Brethren church will meet for a general business session Wednesday afternoon. At 6:30 o'clock a pot luck supper will be served and an invitation is extended to all church members to attend. Following the supper a program will be presented.

Pocahontas Team To Give Party

Pocahontas Drill team will sponsor a card party Wednesday evening at Redmen hall. Five hundred will be the postime and the game will start at 8:00 o'clock.

OUR READERS' COOKING

Help the other readers of the Mid-West Free Press to cook. Send in the recipes you like best, sign your name, and address, and they will be gladly published.

MENU FOR WEDNESDAY

BREAKFAST: Diced Grapefruit and Orange Cereals with Cream, French Toast, Coffees.

LUNCHEON: Frizzled Beef with Tomato... on Toast, Waldorf Salad, Cooked Potatoes, Boiled Onions, Celery, Buttered Pie, Coffee.

Escalloped Salmon and Macaroni

Break cup of macaroni and boil 20 minutes. Free one tall can of salmon from the skin and bones. Lay in layers in a baking dish, alternately, with the macaroni, pouring over cream sauce made with the following:

1 tablespoon flour

1 cup milk

1 tablespoon butter

Salt, pepper and lemon juice.

Cover with buttered bread

crumbs and bake 20 minutes in moderate oven.

Mrs. Delbert Decker Aledo, Illinois.

Carrot Cutlets

1 cup boiled carrots, washed

2 cups boiled rice

1 egg beaten

Paprika

1 tablespoon of celery salt

Add water to carrots to stiffen.

Mix all ingredients together well

and form into balls, flattening them in the shape of cutlets. Roll them in cracker crumbs and into egg and again into cracker crumbs.

Saute or drain deep fat fry. Place a cube of jelly on each cutlet and garnish dish with parsley.

Mrs. Fannie Goodon Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

Fresh Vegetable Salad

Take three small cucumbers, three medium sized tomatoes, and two medium sized onions, cube or dice and soak the onions and cucumbers in salt water for 15 minutes. Then drain and add the tomatoes. Pour over this a tart

Eastern Stars Seat Officers At Temple Meet

One of the most impressive events on the organization and club calendar this week was the installation of officers of Electa chapter, Order of Eastern Star held last evening at the Masonic temple.

Entrance of the retiring officers was the initial step in the ceremony.

Worthy Matron—Mrs. Hazel Korneman.

Worthy Patron—Frank G. Wilford.

Associate Matron—Miss Eleanor Zeidler.

Associate Patron—Paul Stockfield.

Secretary—Miss Emma Rehben.

Treasurer—Mrs. Frances B. Rosenthal.

Conductress—Mrs. Wilma Zeigler.

Associate Conductress—Mrs. Maude Houdek.

Chaplain—Mrs. Effie Storey.

Marshal—Mrs. Helen Grensing.

Organist—Mrs. Clara Hann.

Adah—Mrs. Laura Ward.

Ruth—Mrs. Thelma Steele.

Esther—Mrs. Lillian Hoefflin.

Martha—Mrs. Nellie Horst.

Electa—Mrs. Emma Truxell.

Warder—Miss June Lingo.

Sentinel—George J. Schmidt.

Presentation of Flag

Piano solo—Miss Florence Husen.

Address of welcome, Mrs. Hazel Korneman, W. M.

Mrs. Korneman finished her address and then Mrs. Hazel Korneman, who had been dressed as pages, entered dressed as pages, carrying with them a miniature chariot. In the chariot rode little Virginia Rosenthal, who wore a pink dress with accessories of the same color. The children distributed gifts to the Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron from the officers and also presents to the officers from the Worthy Matron and Patron.

1930 officers retire.

"DeMolay 9 o'clock interpolation" ceremony.

Entrance of installing officers.

Worthy Installing Matron—Mrs. Mozelle Russell.

Escort—Frank G. Wilford.

Worthy Matron—Mrs. Hazel Korneman.

Escort—Paul Stockfield.

Worthy Matron—Chaplain—Mrs. Lola Folson, P. M.

Escort—Ernest Liebbe.

Entrance of 1931 officers, assisted by Order of Rainbow for girls and women.

Worthy Matron—Mrs. Hazel Korneman.

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As We See It

The Wickersham Report

Increase the efficiency of the enforcement organization to uphold the national dry law and give it a chance before starting a repeal movement is the gist of the Wickersham report in relation to prohibition. Admitting that enforcement has failed to a great extent, the commission ascribes some of this failure to lack of cooperation by the states and public apathy in general. Some of the members of the commission go so far as to declare that national prohibition is not enforceable. This section of the report states:

"Some of the commission are not convinced that prohibition under the eighteenth amendment is unenforceable and believe that a further trial should be made with the help of the recommended improvements, and that after such trial if effective enforcement is not secured there should be a revision of the amendment. Others of the commission are convinced that it has been demonstrated that prohibition under the eighteenth amendment is unenforceable and that the amendment should be revised immediately, but recognizing that the process of amending will require some time, they unite in the recommendations for the improvement of enforcement agencies."

As is true of the nation, there is little unanimity of opinion on this foremost national problem in the report. It settles nothing nor does it assure that any of these recommendations can be carried out. While a compromise has been effected for the sake of presenting an united front, the individual reservations of some of the members show there is as great a difference of opinion among them as there is among the people themselves. The report, in effect, says that the prohibition law should be tightened, recommends enlargement of the enforcement branch and the ex-

penditure of more funds for that purpose, and then recommends "liberalizing the law" if found unenforceable.

It may be deduced that as the administration is committed to the prohibition law, the commission has not been adverse to "passing the buck" until after the 1932 election when the voters will have had an opportunity to express their views. The commission evidently believes that President Hoover has enough troubles without adding to them by any decided expression of opinion from an organization which owes its existence to the president.

But prohibition is only one of many problems of law enforcement contained in the report which is longer than the average book. The members deserve credit for making such an exhaustive investigation of all phases of criminal law. It is the most extensive survey ever made in behalf of public order and presents a foundation for badly needed changes in our legal system that will go far toward the elimination of delay in procedure which has been the principal cause of defeating justice.

Tuberculin Test Case

A suit challenging the right of the Illinois department of agriculture to subject cattle to tuberculin tests is scheduled to come up in the circuit court at Springfield in the near future. The suit seeks an injunction restraining the agricultural department from giving tests and confiscating alleged infected cattle. It was stated that the constitutionality of the law had never been decided in Illinois and the results of the action will be watched with interest by farmers of the Middle West.

The Iowa Supreme court has upheld the validity of the law in Iowa, but whether the Illinois courts will do likewise remains to be seen. There is so much opposition developing that an association has been formed known as the Farmers' Educational and Co-operative Union of America which has for its main object national opposition to this compulsory legislation.

The specific complaint in the Illinois case resulted from the arrest of an Illinois farmer and his wife, who were later

indicted, because they refused a state agent permission to inject a serum containing tuberculin germs into seven cattle which had been pronounced free from tuberculosis by competent veterinarians.

When cattle are not tubercular and are otherwise in a healthy condition, the necessity of making tests by injection is questionable to say the least. Under such conditions cattle owners cannot be blamed for resenting the activities of state authorities such as occurred in Illinois.

Controversy.

Differences of opinion not only makes horse races, as Mark Twain said, but it makes, and has made, most of the progress of mankind. Disputes should not be bitter but bitter disputes rather than none at all.

Wars, as well as horse races, have been made by differences of opinion, but there would have been fewer wars if the statesmen of opposing nations had held conferences before the war fever began spreading.

There are very few people who do not have certain ideas on most matters but often these ideas are ill-founded and can be corrected only by heeding arguments the other side has to offer.

Give the other fellow a hearing. Do not conclude in advance he is wrong and then turn a deaf ear to him. There is a possibility he is right and that you are wrong.

It is only by airing our opinions that we get anywhere. History proves this. An honest difference of opinion is one thing; to prejudge, based on personal animosity or for some other reason, is another. Ponder what you hear and read and then search yourself and you will discover there is frequently considerable merit to the contentions of those "on the other side of the fence."

Tony Makes Good

Tony Barcelli sells bananas and other fruit in Chicago, but principally bananas. He says his profits from bananas amount to about five dollars a day and his other sales average about \$2.50 daily. Tony has a wife and six children.

He also has neighbors whose families are larger than his. The heads of some of these families were out of work. They needed assistance. Tony did not hesitate because some of the kids were hungry. Thought Tony: "My family can get along on what I make on my oranges, apples, etc. Two dollars and a half a day is enough for us. The banana profits will do lots of good for my neighbors."

For the past year Tony's family has been living on an average income of \$2.50 a day. Five families have been given double that amount by Tony. He has been given a lift now. A wealthy Chicagoan discovered the facts in Tony's case and has "adopted" ten families among Tony's neighbors until employment can be found.

"I didn't do much," said Tony to his new friend, but the latter called Tony a hero.

And he is.

The doctor's patients seldom decline with thanks.

A patrol wagon brings some inebriates to a full stop.

When you turned over the new leaf, did you fasten it down with cement?

Feminine complexions often resemble small boys; they won't wash.

A woman void of curiosity must find life as tedious as a historical novel.

We Believe the Midwest Needs and We Advocate

1. Less taxation.
2. Fewer state Commissions.
3. Universal school books.
4. Lower freight rates.
5. Return of river transportation.
6. A cleanup of some state institutions.
7. More efficiency in public offices.

This is the Right Word

By W. CURTIS NICHOLSON

The Mid-West Free Press wishes again to impress upon its readers that the People's Pulpit column is open to them. Write upon the subject you are local to. Your letter will be published.

Remember the editor's opinion on the subject. All communications to be printed promptly should not be over 200 words. Those longer must await the writer's turn before publication. All communications must be signed and contain the address of the author.

I am not fighting for Norman Baker. I do not agree with everything he does. But supposing the Baker enterprises were to leave the city, including KTNT, which brings thousands of people into Muscatine. Many people would depart and those remaining would add to the seriousness of our unemployed problem.

Two years ago, much was made of Thrift Week. Everybody was making money and spending it. There was little incentive to be thrifty when money was to be had with a minimum of effort.

Then came depression and a lack of money for some. Those who have no money are interested in saving. They want money to spend for immediate needs. Those who have money prefer to keep it, in spite of appeals to "spend for prosperity."

To hasten the return of normality, we must be normal. Spend as usual to keep money in circulation. Save as usual to build up a fund against possible emergency. To be thrifty one need not hoard money. Thrift implies diligence, spending and intelligent saving. When thrift is practiced normally, we can expect a return of normal conditions.

These organic mineral elements in food preserve the tissues from disorganization and putrefaction. Remember that these vitalizing mineral salts and vitamins are vital to health and ward off disease and premature old age.

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ST. MARY'S CAGERS DEFEAT ST. MATHIAS, 20-10

ATTACK LED BY MONTGOMERY WITH 12 POINTS

St. Mary's Marksman
Ably Assisted By
All of Mates

St. Mary's high school basketball team had Captain Montgomery; the best efforts of the entire St. Mathias prep quintet could not even equal the scoring total accumulated by the St. Mary's star and as a result St. Mary's scored a 20 to 10 victory over St. Mathias on St. Mary's floor last night. It was the first time in history that representative teams of both schools had met.

St. Mathias put up plenty of opposition despite the scoring prowess of Montgomery and his running mates, Hoffman and Roby. These three cagers accounted for all of St. Mary's points. Montgomery alone scored eleven dozen, but St. Mathias led by Hatz and Tadewell fought hard and made the winners extend themselves to the final gun.

Coach Paul Kent's protégés took the play away from St. Mathias at the outset and led 9 to 4 at the half.

It was all Montgomery from a scoring standpoint as far as St. Mathias was concerned, although Hoffman and Roby materially aided St. Mary's in amassing its winning margin and Nugent, Conway and Mills played important roles in pretty team and defensive play.

The St. Mary's Alumni nosed out the Kautz Dough Boys in the usual high class preliminary, 23 to 17.

The games were witnessed by a capacity crowd. The score:

	FG	FT	PP	TP
Montgomery, f	5	2	2	12
Hoffman, f	2	0	2	4
Roby, g	2	0	0	4
Conway, g	0	0	4	4
Mills, g	0	0	0	0
Totals	9	2	8	20
St. Mathias (10)	2	1	4	7
	FG	FT	PP	TP
Tadewell, f	1	0	1	1
Wilson, f	0	1	0	1
Garrett, g-f	0	0	0	0
Roach, c	0	0	0	0
Garrett, g-f	0	0	0	0
Monjone, g	0	0	0	0
Hatz, g	1	3	2	5
Totals	2	6	3	10
Referee—Burns.				

MODERATION IS CURE FOR OVERDOSE OF LIVING

McGovern Says All of Us Suffering From Same Ailment

In the following article, the second of a series of weekly talks to readers of the Free Press, Arthur A. McGovern, famous physical trainer and director of McGovern's Gymnasium in New York City, lays down some simple rules for health building. In subsequent articles Mr. McGovern will furnish tips on how even the busiest of business men can find time enough to take care of their health properly by following some simple rules.

By ARTHUR A. McGOVERN
(Written Exclusively for and Copy
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NEW YORK—Most of us who like to be classed as "modern" are suffering from an overdose of living. We work too hard, we play too intensely, we eat and drink too much, we rest too little. And along about middle life we begin to wonder why it is that "Tom Jones" manages to keep so young." We begin to tire easily, to lose the zest for our hobbies, the stamina required for business affairs; and yet in nine cases out of ten there is no let-up in our program until we are compelled by a physician under threat of dire results to take life a little more easily.

Must Be Moderate
If we want to be youthful we will have to be moderate, and this applies to everything we do in life. Close investigation of the man who refuses to show his age will probably show that he lives a regular life and is moderate in eating, working, playing, and all other activities.

Physical, mental, and nervous breakdowns are caused from overworking. Digestions collapse from overeating. Hearts suffer from too strenuous exercise. And so it goes through all the phases of life if we are victims of "too much." Our greatest common fault is the habit of overeating. Food provides our body with the nourishment necessary to give us energy and accomplishment, and it should be furnished in accordance to the amount of energy we expend. If our work requires little physical energy, a small amount of food is sufficient to provide that energy. And yet I have known hundreds of men and women who sit quietly behind a desk all day who will eat enough food to provide energy for the labor of a tugboat.

Systomatic exercise helps nature perform its duties by toning up the muscles and organs. But it must be applied with moderation in order to derive the most benefits for our health. Many famous athletes have exercised themselves into an early grave by overdoing.

RING VERDICTS

(By International News Service)
At Oakland, Calif. — Speedy Dado, Filipino flyweight, knocked out Jackie Evans, Kansas City (2).

At Chicago—Joe Sharkey, Alton, Mich., middleweight defeated Haakon Hansen, of Norway (8).

At Baltimore—Mickey Walker, middleweight champion of the world, knocked out Herman Weinstock (1).

At New York—Jerry Johnson, Norwegian heavyweight, knocked out Francisco Polangelo, Italy (1).

At Toronto—Billy Townsend, Vancouver welterweight, knocked out Jackie Horner, St. Louis (1).

HAWKS HANDED SECOND DEFEAT

Indiana Runs Away With Contest in Last Half

INDIANA CITY, Ind., Jan. 20.—(INS)—Coach Rollie Williams' University of Iowa basketball players were all over the place in the Big Ten conference standing today after having been handed their second successive western conference spanking last night by Indiana here, 28 to 20.

The visitors broke a 13 to 13 deadlock after half-time and clinched the final period with a scoring spree. The rally was headed by Bernard Dickey and Al Campbell, the little guard who scored ten points against Illinois in their game last Saturday.

Outstanding for the Hawkeyes were Al Rogers, center, who displayed some brilliant floor work and Mort Koser, going forward and high point man of the Iowa team with eight points. Dickey was high point man for the visitors with nine points to his credit.

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LAYTON LOSES TO SCOVILLE

Buffalo Man Out in Front in Cue Tournament

CHICAGO, Jan. 20.—(INS)—Frank S. Scoville, of Buffalo, competing in his first world's championship billiard match at the age of 52, was being acclaimed today for his feat in upsetting Johnny Layton, of Sedalia, Mo., in the opening match of the three-cushion tournament here.

Scoville won by a score of 50 to 35 in 55 innings. His defeat of champion threw a large crowd of spectators into a turmoil.

Although a newcomer to world's title play, Scoville is a veteran cue campaigner. He showed no trace of nerves, and his shots were well taken. Layton, who was rapidly out of stroke, and failed to make or draw shots.

Tiff Denton, of Kansas City and Arthur Thurnblad, of Chicago, northern champion, will meet in the first afternoon game tomorrow. In the second afternoon game Allen Hall, of Chicago, plays D. J. Jacobs, of St. Louis.

Max Baer May Mix Again With Schaaf, Old Tom Heeney

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—(INS)—Aric Hoffman, manager of Max Baer, was said to have decided to let the Oakland, Calif., heavyweight back to the east. Hoffman believes that a return between Baer and Tom Heeney, who lost to Max here Friday by a knockout due to a mix-up in the referee's count, would draw \$50,000 in San Francisco or Los Angeles.

Plans also are under consideration for a return bout on the coast between Baer and Ernie Schaaf, the Boston heavyweight who shaded Baer in the California's debut here.

Wolverines Lose To Wildcats in a Conference Game

ANN ARBOR, Mich., Jan. 20.—(INS)—Northwestern University today remained second in Chicago in leading the Big Ten basketball race today by virtue of a 26 to 21 victory over Michigan here while the Maroons were idle.

Joe Reiff, sophomore center, led the Purple offensive, tossing six baskets.

Tommy Thomas, pitcher of the White Sox, wished he could switch his golf form to the diamond. He says: "I have been playing golf every day with Ed Rommel but my slice is as pronounced as ever. I wish I could curve a baseball like I can a golf ball. I would never have to use my fast one."

IOWA FANS TO SEE HERR MAX BOX IN APRIL

Three Hawkeye Cities on Schmeling's Itinerary

By LES CONKLIN
(INS Sports Writer)

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Details of Max Schmeling's second American tour, which will net the heavyweight champion something like \$150,000 over a period of 10 weeks, were announced today by the teuton's manager, Jacobs.

At Baltimore—Feb. 10. Schmeling will box three-round exhibitions in approximately 45 cities with a sparing partner. After winding up the barnstorming tour late in April, Max will begin intensive training for his titanic fight with Young Strubing in June.

In addition to his boxing exhibition, Schmeling will exhibit himself as referee in amateur wrestling bouts in five cities in Texas, where he will not be allowed to box. The tour will take the German through 14 states—Maryland, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, Texas, Tennessee, Missouri, Oklahoma, Iowa, and Michigan. Kansas also may be included in the itinerary.

A jaunt to Havana on Feb. 23 is a highlight of the schedule.

In 1929, after defeating Paulino, the German made a similar tour of the country lasting about six weeks. The present tour is much more extensive, and, it might be added, should prove more lucrative.

Max's "ringside" appearance at each one-night stand will be made in conjunction with local boxing or wrestling shows. The average offer of the promoters in the 50 cities is approximately \$3,000.

Schmeling has some business to transact in Germany before leaving but may be able to sail from Bremer tomorrow on the Europa, according to Jacobs. He will make his way to the United States to make his tour debut at Ann Arbor when the Wildcats turned in a second victory over Michigan for the current season.

John Wilson, of the Big Ten, will be in the University of Michigan's stable in Ann Arbor on Feb. 10.

Jacobs believes that by boxing exhibitions four or five times a week, Schmeling will be able to fight himself into condition. He will begin intensive training about May 1. If his bout with Strubing is held at Detroit, training camp will be pitched at Grand Rapids.

Minneapolis is the next stop on the tour, and Jacobs will train at Kenosha, Wis., or at Waukegan, Ill., according to present plans.

The Schedule

Schmeling's tentative exhibition schedule, which is subject to change, is as follows:

Feb. 10, Baltimore; 11, Hagerstown, Md.; 12, Washington, D. C.; 13, Winston-Salem, N. C.; 14, Greensboro, S. C.; 15, Atlanta, Ga.; 18, Macon, Ga.; 19, Jacksonville, Fla.; 22, Havana, Cuba; 26, Miami, Fla.; 27, Tampa, Fla.; 28, Tallahassee, Fla.

March 2, Mobile, Ala.; 3, Montgomery, Ala.; 4, Birmingham, Ala.; 5, New Orleans, La.; 6, Houston, Tex.; 7, Galveston, Tex.; 8, San Antonio, Tex.; 10, Dallas, Tex.; 12, Shreveport, La.; 13, Monroe, La.; 14, Jackson, Miss.; 16, Memphis, Tenn.; 20, Joplin, Mo.; 25, Oklahoma City; 26, Tulsa, Okla.; 27, End, Okla.; 30, Kansas City, Mo.

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PRISON GRADS WILL STAY IN ALMA MATER

Diplomas Awarded to
561 Inmates of
San Quentin

SAN QUENTIN — (INS) — Diplomas were received at San Quentin prison recently by 561 men and women inmates, signifying that they had successfully completed courses of study laid down for them by the prison's educational director, H. A. Shuder.

The graduating exercises were held in the library in an atmosphere of solemnity and dignity and the graduates received their certificates with pride and satisfaction.

Co-eds Missing

Of course there were no "sweet girl" graduates and the "men of the university" did not square back their shoulders and set forth to conquer the world.

They went back to the jute mill, the prison garden or the kitchen, as the case might be, but they had a new snap in their step as they crossed their walled-in "campus" and a fresh spirit as as they attacked their uninteresting tasks.

Scholars Rate High

The principal address of the day was delivered by Dean J. W. Hall, of the University of Nevada. He was followed by Dr. Cyrus Need, University of California; Dr. A. A. Heller, counselor of trade schools for the city of Oakland; Benjamin Mallory, University of California; and Dr. John Altucker, professor of vocational education at Mare Island.

Shuder said statistics reveal that San Quentin's prisoners, due to a great extent to the "school" rate higher than those of any other penal institution in the United States in intelligence tests.

Next semester, he stated, five-eighths of the inmates will be enrolled in courses of study.

CONCORD

CONCORD, Ia. — (Special) — Mr. and Mrs. Everett Orris and children, Leroy and Evelyn, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Hoben near Columbus Junction, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Relvle Story of Columbus Junction were recent visitors at the home of William Adams.

S. W. Dowson was a visitor in Grandview Saturday.

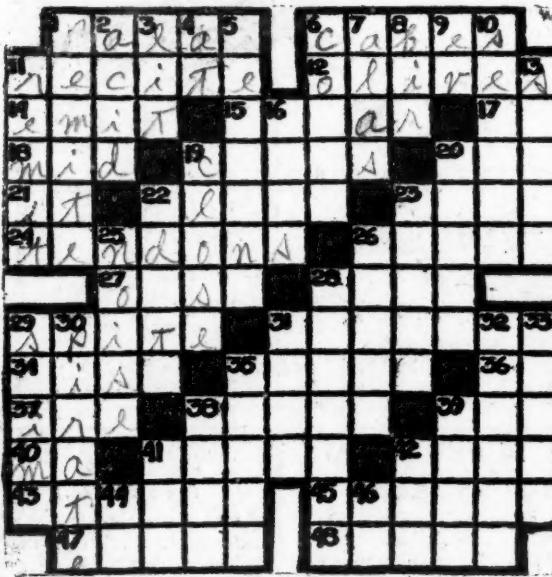
Miss Isabelle McCormack of Conesville was a recent visitor at the home of her sister, Mrs. Everett Orris.

Mr. and Mrs. Dode Browning of near Letts visited at the home of Carleton Moore Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Shellaberger and daughter, Evelyn: Mrs. A. E. Burkett and Marie Goode were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Jones of near Cotters.

Switzerland has developed 1,611,423 horsepower from its water courses, more than in any other equal area in the world.

Crossword Puzzle



ACROSS

- 1-Dish.
- 6-Restaurants.
- 11-To speak from memory.
- 12-An oily fruit (plural).
- 14-To send out.
- 15-Lover.
- 17-Word of negation.
- 18-Poetic for among.
- 19-Is interested.
- 20-A bone.
- 21-Pronoun.
- 22-Foreign.
- 23-Part in play.
- 24-Sinews.
- 26-Internal organ.
- 27-Live in France.
- 28-Affection.
- 29-To vex maliciously.
- 31-Goes away.
- 34-Affectionate salutation.
- 35-Hostel.
- 36-Upon.
- 37-Anger.
- 38-Breathes rapidly.
- 39-Cried.
- 40-Mother.
- 41-Untrue.
- 42-To take up stake.
- 43-To wander.
- 45-Messenger.
- 47-Bird of prey.
- 48-Weapon.

DOWN

- 1-Descendant of Shem.
- 2-chemical.
- 3-Alright.
- 4-By.
- 5-Unwilled wool.
- 6-To cheat.
- 7-Expression of sorrow.
- 8-A tree.
- 9-Equal value (initials).
- 10-Old.

Yesterday's Puzzle Solved

Saturday's Puzzle Solved

ANSWER

Complete Market Reports

CORN SLUMPS AFTER REPORT ON DRY LAW

Free Selling in July Wheat Also Marks Announcement

CHICAGO, Jan. 20.—(INS)—The report of the Wickersham commission influenced some selling of corn futures around noon today, but declines were not extensive as shorts gave the market considerable support near the finish. Closing prices for corn were $\frac{1}{4}$ to $\frac{1}{2}$ lower.

Old crop deliveries of wheat finished unchanged to $\frac{1}{4}$ cent higher while July sold off 1 cent. Oats were $\frac{1}{4}$ to $\frac{1}{2}$ down and rye $\frac{1}{2}$ to $\frac{1}{4}$ up.

Grain prices were erratic during early trading with the majority inclined to go slow pending the Wickersham report. However, when the report was made public and indicated the commission was against repeal of the eighteenth amendment, a free selling wave started in corn and spread to July wheat, sending prices down more than 1 cent below the previous finish.

Some of the selling in July wheat was prompted by reports of additional participation over the eastern and midwest sections of the winter belt. The local cash corn market is relatively steady.

CASH GRAIN

CHICAGO, Jan. 20.—(INS)—Cash grain close:

Wheat—No. 1 red 81 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢; No. 2 red 81 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢; No. 1 hard 80 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢; No. 2 northern spring 80¢; mixed 80¢; No. 2 mixed 79 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢.

Corn—No. 1 mixed 65 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢@67 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢; No. 4 mixed 64 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢@66¢; No. 3 yellow 64 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢@65¢; No. 66 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢; No. 5 yellow 64@65¢; No. 4 white 66 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢@67 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢; No. 5 white 63 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢; sample grade 54¢.

Oats—No. 2 white 33 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢@33 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢.

Rye—None.

Barley—None.

New York Stocks

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—(INS)—New York stock closing:

Allegro Corporation 9 $\frac{1}{2}$

Allied Chemical and Dye 15 $\frac{1}{2}$

Allis Chalmers 34 $\frac{1}{2}$

American Can 10 $\frac{1}{2}$

American Car and Foundry 7 $\frac{1}{2}$

American and Foreign Pwr 28 $\frac{1}{2}$

American P and L 46 $\frac{1}{2}$

American Automobile 43 $\frac{1}{2}$

American Smelt Ref 46

A T and T 18 $\frac{1}{2}$

American Tobacco 'B' 110 $\frac{1}{2}$

American Water Works 56 $\frac{1}{2}$

American Wool 9 $\frac{1}{2}$

Anaconda Copper 33 $\frac{1}{2}$

At and S F 180 $\frac{1}{2}$

Atl Ref 28 $\frac{1}{2}$

Baldwin Locomotive 22 $\frac{1}{2}$

Baltimore and Ohio 77 $\frac{1}{2}$

Bethlehem Steel 48 $\frac{1}{2}$

Bendix Aviation 19 $\frac{1}{2}$

Brockway Motors 27 $\frac{1}{2}$

Can Pac 41

Cash Thresh Machine 86 $\frac{1}{2}$

C and O 41 $\frac{1}{2}$

Chicago Great West 7 $\frac{1}{2}$

Chicago and North West 4 $\frac{1}{2}$

C and P 7 $\frac{1}{2}$

C and St P 12 $\frac{1}{2}$

Chi R and P 66 $\frac{1}{2}$

Chrysler Motors 18 $\frac{1}{2}$

Coca Cola 150 $\frac{1}{2}$

Colo F and I 24 $\frac{1}{2}$

Cal Gas and Electric 85

Cons Gas 85

Corn Products 78

Crucible Steel 43 $\frac{1}{2}$

D and H 14 $\frac{1}{2}$

Drug Inc 55 $\frac{1}{2}$

Duane De Ne 86 $\frac{1}{2}$

Erie 39 $\frac{1}{2}$

Erie first pfd 39 $\frac{1}{2}$

Frent Tex Oil 30

Gen Aspl 28 $\frac{1}{2}$

General Electric 43 $\frac{1}{2}$

General Motors 56 $\frac{1}{2}$

General Foods 16 $\frac{1}{2}$

Goodrich Rubber 16 $\frac{1}{2}$

Globe 24 $\frac{1}{2}$

Great Nor Rail Road pfd 20 $\frac{1}{2}$

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Hudson Motors 22 $\frac{1}{2}$

Hupp Motor 8

Illinois Central 85 $\frac{1}{2}$

Ind Ref 4

International Harvester 51 $\frac{1}{2}$

International Nickel 15 $\frac{1}{2}$

Johns Mansville 12 $\frac{1}{2}$

Kroc Copper 24 $\frac{1}{2}$

Lehi Valley 26 $\frac{1}{2}$

Liggett and Myers 69

Louisville and Nash 104

Mack Truck 39

Mi Cop 8 $\frac{1}{2}$

M K and T 24 $\frac{1}{2}$

Montgomery Ward 17 $\frac{1}{2}$

National Biscuit Company 31

Nash Motors 41 $\frac{1}{2}$

National Dair 120

National Lead 120

Nat P and L 33 $\frac{1}{2}$

Nev Cons 11 $\frac{1}{2}$

New York Central 122

N Y N H and H 55

Northern Pacific 54 $\frac{1}{2}$

Packard Motors 9 $\frac{1}{2}$

Pan Am 4 $\frac{1}{2}$

Pennard and Ford 43 $\frac{1}{2}$

Penn Rail Road 60 $\frac{1}{2}$

Peoples Gas 28 $\frac{1}{2}$

Public Service of N J 78 $\frac{1}{2}$

Pure Oil 10 $\frac{1}{2}$

Radio Corporation 13 $\frac{1}{2}$

R K O 17 $\frac{1}{2}$

Real silk 26

Remington Rand 9 $\frac{1}{2}$

Reo Motor 9 $\frac{1}{2}$

Reynolds Tobacco 'B' 17 $\frac{1}{2}$

Royal Dutch 33 $\frac{1}{2}$

Schulte 4 $\frac{1}{2}$

Seaboard Air Lines 1

Sears Roebuck 43 $\frac{1}{2}$

Shell Union Oil 10

Simsco Company 15 $\frac{1}{2}$

Sinclair Oil 12

Southern Pacific R R 16 $\frac{1}{2}$

Southern Railway 18 $\frac{1}{2}$

Standard Oil California 46 $\frac{1}{2}$

Standard Oil N J 47 $\frac{1}{2}$

Stewart Warner 18

Studebaker Motors 22

Representative Livestock Sales

CHICAGO, Jan. 20.—(INS)—Representative livestock sales today:

LIGHT BOYS

No. Wgt. Price No. Wgt. Price
50 152 \$ 8.00 58 190 \$ 8.05
50 152 \$ 8.05 62 180 8.10
60 187 8.05 62 172 8.15
60 187 8.15 62 172 8.20
60 175 8.20 66 168 8.25
70 164 8.25 72 160 8.25
70 155 8.30 76 152 8.35

HEAVY

46 322 7.40 48 318 7.45
50 312 7.45 52 300 7.50
50 294 7.50 52 280 7.50
60 228 8.05 62 224 8.10
60 228 8.10 62 220 8.15
60 217 8.15 70 214 8.20
70 211 8.20 75 209 8.25

MIXED AND BUTCHERS

24 975 7.50 32 940 7.55
24 838 9.25 31 1028 10.00
20 1288 11.00 25 1264 11.50
18 1220 12.00 18 1390 13.00

COWS

9 927 4.00 10 986 4.50
8 1022 5.00 11 1028 5.25
10 1062 5.50 13 1154 6.00
11 1147 6.50 12 1186 7.00

FEEDERS

18 674 6.00 20 628 6.50
22 692 6.75 25 760 7.00
22 722 7.25 35 746 7.50
20 830 8.00 32 843 8.50

HOG RECEIPTS

DESS MORNINGS, Jan. 20.—(INS)—U. S. D. A.—Combined hog receipts at 24 concentration yards and seven packing plants located in interior Iowa and southern Minnesota for the 24 hour period ended at 10 a.m. m. today were 15,600, compared with 22,300 a week ago.

Uneven 5@200 higher, mostly 10@15c higher; marketing rather light and buyers aggressive for hogs; bulk of 170-230 lb \$7.30@7.80; a few stations up to \$7.20 and slightly higher for 180-200 lb hogs; 240-280 lb mostly \$7.00@7.50.

Quotations follow: Light hogs, good and choice 140-160 \$7.10@7.65; 7.65; light weights, good and choice 160-180 \$7.25@7.80; 7.80-200; medium weights, good and choice 200-220 \$7.25@7.50; 7.50; 220-250 \$7.10@7.75; heavy weights, good and choice 250-290 \$6.90@7.50; 7.50; 290-350 \$6.70@7.50; 7.50; blank; packing 20¢@25¢; feeders 30¢@35¢.

EXPECT EARLY SHOWDOWN ON CATTLE TESTS

National Body Backs Illinois Farmers in Protest

(EDITOR'S NOTE: The Free Press presents below the first of a series of articles dealing with the controversy in southern Illinois over the compulsory tuberculin testing of cattle. We believe these articles will be especially interesting to farmers in Iowa since a similar law in this state was upheld by the Iowa Supreme court after its constitutionality had been questioned.)

BY ROBERT B. ATWOOD
(Free Press Special Correspondent)

SPRINGFIELD, Ill.—Jan. 20.—Farmers' demands for the state department of agriculture to give bovine tuberculin tests is anticipated in the circuit court here. The office of Attorney General Oscar E. Carlstrom has hinted that an entry of appearance will be filed on behalf of the defendants so that the matter can come before the permanent term of court.

The suit, filed Jan. 16, seeks an injunction restraining the department of agriculture from giving tuberculin tests and confiscating alleged affected cattle.

Constitutionality of the law under which the department acts is attacked. An organization of farmers in Washington county is behind the litigation.

The court has not granted a temporary injunction. The bill stands filed but not docketed and probably will remain so until attorneys for the state file entry app-

Questions Constitutionality

The suit was filed against the state department of agriculture, D. W. Robinson, agent of the department, and Joseph D. Maxwell, state's attorney in Washington county. Louis Witte and his wife, farmers of long standing in Washington county, are complainants.

Mr. Robinson last week said that the constitutionality of the state law requiring farmers to submit their cattle to tuberculin tests has never been decided in court. It is desirable, he said, that such a ruling should be made either declaring the law valid or invalid.

Objections to agents for the department collecting tuberculin from cattle have been encountered in three southern Illinois counties: Perry, Randolph and Washington. Several times, Mr. Robinson said, when farmers threatened to seek an injunction against the state, agents were withdrawn to await action by the farmers. When they failed each time to carry out their promise, after two weeks, the agents were returned to proceed with the tests, Mr. Robinson said.

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Although the proceeding with Mr. and Mrs. Witte as complainants uses only their names, the suit represents objections by many farmers who have organized and incorporated the Farmers' Educa-

tional and Co-operative Union of America. The Illinois division is said to be participating in the suit. It has not been determined how many farmers are in accord with it.

The bill of complaint against the state sets forth that Mr. and Mrs. Witte for many years have operated a small farm in Washington county engaged in raising cattle for milk and breeding purposes. On Aug. 5, 1930, they owned seven cattle which, according to competent veterinarians, were in healthy condition and never had tuberculosis or any other disease, they say.

Despite these facts an agent for the department of agriculture obtained permission to test the cattle for tuberculosis by a serum containing tuberculin and administered by hypodermic needle. Permission was refused.

Arrested and Indicted

The state agent returned later with the state's attorney Maxwell and insisted that Mr. and Mrs. Witte submit their cattle to the tests, and that they furnish facilities for making tests, and that they assist in administering them, the bill says.

However, they failed to say what facilities were necessary or what assistance was needed. Mr. Witte says. He adds that at no time did the state agent produce credentials showing him to be an accredited veterinarian. Permission was again refused.

Upon the second refusal, Mr. and Mrs. Witte were arrested and later indicted. They were charged with failure to permit a state agent to make tests and failure to provide facilities for the tests. The indictment is pending. The department of agriculture is pushing prosecution, Mr. Witte declares.

For All Fairness

Robinson and the department of agriculture are insisting on making another test of the cattle, threatening to compel owners to provide facilities and assistance or else they will bear the brunt of criminal prosecution, the bill says.

Cattle that react unfavorably to the tuberculin tests will be condemned and confiscated, taken from the owners at an unfair and uncompensatory price contrary to the United States constitution, it is averred.

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It is also declared that in the county there are many farmers who are owners of herds of cattle, none of which have ever been affected with tuberculosis. "No tuberculosis has ever been known in the county," the complainants say.

It is the contention of the complainants that there is no valid law in the state making it imperative for them to submit their cattle to the tuberculin tests. They say that the General Assembly has not, until recently, taken any compulsory test which may lawfully be used by the department of agriculture and that the department's agents cannot lawfully enter upon the premises of the complainants without their consent.

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Would Bar Agents

The injunction sought would be comprised of the following three restraining orders:

1. Restraining the defendants from entering upon the premises of any farmer objecting to the tests and in the executing of the tests.

2. Restraining prosecution of indictments pending in Washington county circuit court.

3. Restraining reading and giving out results of any tests which they have made of cattle belonging to complainants and others similarly situated.

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TWO RIVERSIDE RESIDENTS DIE

Miss Lottie Horak,
Mrs. H. Kron Are
Laid to Rest

RIVERSIDE, Ia.—(Special)—Funeral services for Mrs. Harry Kron, who died Tuesday morning, were held Wednesday afternoon from the Methodist church at Richmond Thursday at 9 a.m. Burial was made in the Holy Trinity cemetery with the Rev. Father C. A. B. Van Waus officiating.

Mrs. Horak died suddenly about 4 p.m. Tuesday. Heart trouble was the cause of her death. Although she had been ailing for the past few days, Mrs. Kron attended to her daily household duties.

On the morning of her death she inquired regarding the condition of her husband, who has been ill of tuberculosis for a number of years, and he had died almost instantly.

When he realized that his wife had died, Mr. Kron collapsed and they were later discovered by a son.

Mrs. Kron was 45 years old. She was born in Lee county, Iowa, and was married to Henry Kron at Washington in Feb. 1904.

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It is the contention of the complainants that there is no valid law in the state making it imperative for them to submit their cattle to the tuberculin tests. They say that the General Assembly has not, until recently, taken any compulsory test which may lawfully be used by the department of agriculture and that the department's agents cannot lawfully enter upon the premises of the complainants without their consent.

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Objections to agents for the department collecting tuberculin from cattle have been encountered in three southern Illinois counties: Perry, Randolph and Washington.

Several times, Mr. Robinson said, when farmers threatened to seek an injunction against the state, agents were withdrawn to await action by the farmers.

When they failed each time to carry out their promise, after two weeks, the agents were returned to proceed with the tests, Mr. Robinson said.

Has Extensive Backing

Although the proceeding with Mr. and Mrs. Witte as complainants uses only their names, the suit represents objections by many farmers who have organized and incorporated the Farmers' Educa-

WILTON LODGE HEADS SEATED

Officers of R. N. A.
Are Installed by
Durant Team

WILTON JUNCTION, Ia.—(Special)—Officers of the Royal Neighbors of America lodge, No. 1068, were installed by a team from the Durant lodge.

Mrs. Horak died Monday morning from the Methodist church. Burial was in the Riverside cemetery with the Rev. Father C. E. Coggeshall officiating.

Singers were Forest Atkins, Earl Rife, Ciral Rife and Charles John. Mrs. Forest Atkins played the piano.

Mrs. Horak died at the home of her mother, Mrs. Barbara Horak. Death was due to peritonitis. She had been ill a long time.

An operation had been planned Monday morning at the Hovey home in Readings when a heart attack occurred.

Mrs. Horak was born in Riverside May 7, 1884. Surviving besides her mother, are two brothers, John and Charles Horak, all of this community.

Officers of the Royal Neighbors and Juvenile lodges were installed at a joint meeting in Odeon Hall.

Those installed are as follows: Oracle, Laura Duncan; vice oracle, Mabelle Darting; past oracle, Mary Schroeder; recorder, Alice McCartney; treasurer, Ida Boot; marshal, Cora Homan; historian, Hilda Schreider; inner sentinel, Lena Potter; outer sentinel, Edna Luethje; manager, Sue Hill; music, Sadie Hickman; secretary, Stella Brenner; endurance, Ardena Masterson; flag bearer, Hallie Ford; juvenile director, Nellie Bremer.

Appointive officers are: calendar committee, Hallie Ford, Lottie Smith, Myrtle Kelley; resolution committee, Mrs. Helen Atwell; auditor, Mrs. Anna Atwell; inner sentinel, Lena Atwell; outer sentinel, Edna Luethje; manager, Sue Hill; music, Sadie Hickman; secretary, Stella Brenner; endurance, Ardena Masterson; flag bearer, Hallie Ford; juvenile director, Nellie Bremer.

Members of the N. N. C. met Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Olga Port, who was assisted by Mrs. Helen Smith as hostess. The new officers were installed and the following talks were made:

"The Mind and Will of Animals," Mrs. Grace Bacon; "Northern Wisconsin Asserts its Rights," Mrs. Amanda Pickens; "Wild Animals of North America," Mrs. Olga Bacon; "Flowers," Miss Arville Atwell; "Comics," Billie May; Rena Atwell, vocal solo was presented by Mrs. Port and a piano solo by Miss Helen Shuger. Next meeting of the club will be held on Jan. 23 at the home of Mrs. Nellie Whitmer.

The following students were declared winners in the declamatory contest: Those who did not place

in the competition were: Lois Lang, Charlotte Smith and Mildred Johnson; oratorical, Henry Angerer, Kenneth Hettler, Vera Newgard and Louis Gill; humoristic, Charles Lauser, Margaret Land and Gerald Ochletrie.

Eighteen students entered the competition. Those who did not place

in the competition were: Priscilla Brown, Stela Brenner, Inez Lang, Thelma Newgard, Jeanette Thurston, Ruth Schroeder, Lois Hahn and Edward Rexroth.

Judges were